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For: A SUGAR MOIETY LABELED NUCLEOTIDE, AND AN OLIGO- OR
POLYNUCLEOTIDE, AND COMPOSITION COMPRISING SUCH SUGAR
MOIETY LABELED NUCLEOTIDES (As Second Amended)

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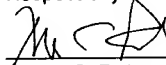
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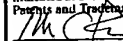
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THIRD PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sirs:

This Third Preliminary Amendment follows their September 19, 1995 Supplemental Amendment to Applicants' September 12, 1995 Preliminary Amendment. Prior to the issuance of a first office action, it is respectfully requested that the following amendments also be entered in the above-identified application, which is a Rule 1.62 continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 07/960,071, filed on October 13, 1992.

AMEND THIS APPLICATION AS FOLLOWS:**In The Claims:**

Add new claims 306 and 307 as follows:

306. (New) The oligo- or polynucleotide of claim 238 wherein said chemical linkage comprises or includes an olefinic bond at the α -position relative to P, or any of the moieties:

- CH = CH₂ - NH -

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